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Secretary Bryan is to speak to the Commercial Club in his home city Tuesday evening. Price is of admission is not stated.—Lexington Leader.

Potatoes are on the free list in the new Tariff-law, yet potatoes are "going up." Now it is announced that the Government authorities will bar out foreign tubers because of the prevalence of blight abroad. Again it is shown that schedules of duties have little to do with the cost of living.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

## THE PEOPLE WILL ATTEND TO IT.

While we all know there is "uncertainty regarding the future" in business lines and commercial affairs, there is one thing, however, that there is no uncertainty about, and that is that the people will promptly attend to that "uncertainty" at the next election. So buckle on your armor, boys. Throw away all petty differences and minor misunderstandings, rally 'round the flag and let every lover of the great and good things brought about by real statesmen of the past select from the common people another man of the Lincoln school and triumphantly place him at the head of the nation.—Moravian Falls (N. C.) Yellow Jacket.

## MARSE HENRY HANDS BRYAN AND WILSON PARTING LICK.

"The Free Silver epidemic in the West and South of the United States came previously near to becoming a Reign of Terror. In Kentucky we had something very like Civil War. Ignorance sat in the saddle and rode down truth. And what a raffra of fake leaders and crazy followers did not the fetish of Free Silver raise up everywhere. Behold the outcome! With Bryan turned gold-bug, and a gold-bug, President in the White House, the country seems safe at least from that form of lunacy, and the very memory begins to vanish like some hideous nightmare. In mad times madmen get to the front. But what a vindication the advocates of sound money have received!"—Henry Watterson's Paris Letter in Sunday's Courier Journal.

## THE STAY-AT-HOME HUSBANDS.

In an Ohio city a wife has recently won a divorce because, among other things, hubby, after a hard day's work, wouldn't pilot her to the movies or go out and make calls, but insisted upon donning smoking jacket and slippers and reading the paper as he puffed his pipe and toasted his toes.

Note the words "among other things." Of course it takes more than tiredness or selfishness to legalize a divorce in Ohio. But the other things needn't concern us now. The present point is, was tired hubby's staying at home selfish?

With all due sympathy for a tired man, we guess he must have been guilty as charged. Don't you suppose wife was home all day, as busy at her work as hubby ever was with his? Moreover, her day began ere his did and no whistle ended it at night. With her it was work and drudge day after day with rarely a bit of variety to break the sameness.

Do you wonder, then, that sometimes, in the evening, she wanted a little amusement, wanted to step beyond her own door?

Of course, it's bad never to stay at home nights; but there's danger, also, at the other extreme. Stay-at-home husbands, husbands who never take their wives calling, become stupid, crusty chaps, don't they? For their own good they ought to get out now and then and mix with their neighbors. —Louisville Herald.

## SIZE OF BRAIN

No Indication of Its Potency, Says Medical Expert.

Philadelphia.—Dr. E. Linden Mellus, who has experimented for many years at the Johns Hopkins Medical School and elsewhere, told the members of the American Physiological Society, in an annual session here, that the weight of a brain has no relation to its potency, and that the intricate brain convolutions have nothing to do with the power of the brain.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one advertisement that has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars to anyone who can fail to cure. Send for free literature.

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MASON COUNTY HEALTH LEAGUE ANNOUNCES HEADQUARTERS OF VISITING NURSE MISS CASEY AT—

## NEW YEAR MOTTO:

Hope For the Best; Prepare For The Worst, And Take What Comes.

## HAVE YOU GOT THE PUNCH?

Mary Heaton Vorse, writing a story in the January Woman's Home Companion, makes one of her characters describe as follows a tremendously successful man who is one of the principal figures in the story:

"Look at him now. He isn't a man—he's a force. Men like him are this country—they make it. Everything else is subsidiary. Nothing else counts. They are politics. They are power. They are it. And how am I—how am I going to play in this game? I tell you, I haven't got the punch!"

## WHO PAYS THE FREIGHT?

Several year ago, in answer to a correspondent, the Republican stated that the importer paid the duty—that the Tariff was an occupation tax levied on the people of other countries for the privilege of the American markets. Several of the Democratic papers of the State disputed this, but at that time there was no way of settling the matter except theoretically; but now, since the Underwood bill is in effect, it can be demonstrated by cold, hard facts instead of in theory.

Take, for example, cattle—now on the free list. Instead of reducing the cost of living, so far as meats are concerned, they are actually higher than they were under a Protective Tariff; and the cattle dealers of Canada and Argentina are reaping the benefits of being able to enter the American markets without paying a tax for the privilege, while the American grazier is taxed at the same old rate, and, in addition, the expenses of the National Government—now greater than ever before—that were formerly met by the revenues derived from the Tariff, will have to be met by direct taxation, thus throwing an additional burden on our people, for the benefit of those in other countries.

The incapacity of the Democratic party to manage the affairs of the nation was never more clearly demonstrated than by the passage of the Wilson-Simmons-Underwood bill.—Tazewell (Va.) Republican.



## THE DAILY NOVELLE.

### His Big Mistake.

When the cows are in the stable;  
When the pigs are in the sty;  
You may kiss me if you're able;  
If you're not—why you may try.

The apoplectic little man pounded the counter with his apoplectic little fist.

"I never dealt here before and I'll never deal here again!" he shouted. "The management here is rotten. You have nothing, nothing! I'll try once more. Have you any tomatoes?"

"No, sir, sorry, sir," replied the clerk. "What? Not even in cans?"

"Not even in bottles." The apoplectic little man crushed his hat down further on his head and bit his mustache until the blood came. He consulted the list in his hand.

"I'll give you another chance! Have you any potatoes? Think carefully now!"

"Not a potato in the place," said the clerk apologetically.

"Ye gods! Well, I'll give you one more chance. I'd like to see the end of this. Have you any sugar?"

"Not a grain, sir. Sorry, sir." The apoplectic little man sank down on a stool and let his list flutter to the floor.

"And you call this a grocery store!" he said tauntingly.

"No, sir," corrected the clerk mildly. "This is a cigar store."

The apoplectic little man rolled off the stool in a fit. —Louisville Times.

## KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Maysville People Know How to Save It.

Many Maysville people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Maysville citizen's recommendation.

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Forest revenues of British Columbia for 1913 amount to \$3,000,000, an increase of \$400,000 over 1912.

Investigations of a cold storage trust by the Department of Justice have progressed to a point where prosecution will be made, it is stated.

Gov. Yager, of Porto Rico, has asked the Government to break up a combination of sugar buyers in New York, which he says, plans to reduce the price on Porto Rican sugar.

## PARIS 10-CENT STORE FAILS.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 3.—Albert Jones of Paris, filed a petition of bankruptcy in the Federal Court today. Liabilities \$12,430; assets \$9,930.

## GRANT'S ORDERLY NOW GONE

Had Three Horses Shot From Under Him at Petersburg.

Capt. William F. Roberts, who served during the Civil War as an orderly under both General Grant and General Meade, died at the Dayton Soldiers' Home Friday. He served as orderly to Gen. Meade during the Gettysburg campaign and was assigned to the same position with Gen. Grant when the latter took command of the Army of the Potomac. He was present at Appomattox as Gen. Grant's orderly. Three horses were shot from under Capt. Roberts at Petersburg and a Bible in his pocket saved his life during the same conflict.

## GUARDING THE GIRL

Protective Rules Issued By English Society For Young Women.

(Collier's Weekly.)

"Fifty thousand girls drop out of sight every year," a famous newspaper announces in huge type. A mere student would ask what percentage this is of all girls between, say, 15 and 20 years, and whether such loss is possible. The article apparently is based on the fact that 800 girls disappeared in 12 months between New York and Chicago. This is bad enough surely. The remedy recommended is to copy after the English association which publishes protective rules beginning as follows:

1. Girls should never speak to strangers, either men or women, in the street, in shops, in stations, in trains, in lonely country roads, or in places of amusement.

2. Girls should never ask the way of any but officials on duty, such as policemen, railway officials or postmen.

3. Girls should never loiter or stand about alone in the street, and if accosted by a stranger (whether man or woman) should walk as quickly as possible to the nearest policeman.

4. Girls should never stay to help a woman who apparently faints at their feet in the street, but should immediately call a policeman to her aid. Possibly these restrictions are colored by the moral overstrain apt to characterize a reformer's zeal, but it is fair to ask whether a land in which they are necessary is either civilized or Christian. Nothing Bernard Shaw says of English hypocrisy and sensuality is half so striking as this proposal to put everybody in social quarantine. If the facts sustain such contentions, the sooner we have an ironclad etiquette the better. But what a ghastly commentary on our "progress," how our cities sink their pride and become mere traps of lust and death! What is the truth of all this?

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